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In Re Application of:

Yoshihide ITEYA

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir/Madam:

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on November 20, 2003, Applicant hereby amends the above-identified application, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

Amendment After Final Rejection, Dated February 11, 2004 Reply to Office Action dated November 20, 2003

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